By Goldberg

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M'BRIDE PREDICTS SUCCESS FOR HIS TEAM NEXT SEASON

Will Come to Capital to See Wilson's Inauguration.

GOES ICE-BOATING AROUND MILWAUKEE

Chance Says He May Play Second Base for His Yankees.

Minor Will Go.

Benjamin S. Minor, president of the Washington baseball club, has accepted the invitation of the Philadelphia sporting writers, and will attend their big banquet at the Continental Hotel, Philadelphia, February 3, as official representative of the club. It is expected that President-elect Woodrow Wilson will be there.

By "SENATOR."

George McBride, the Climbers' dandy captain and stellar shortfield artist, is opeful of his team getting away to a good start, as he believes that will mean a possible pennant for Washing-

"It won't be long now before reporting time," he says in a letter to the writer, "and I hope we get a good start. I don't see why we ought not, and, we do, I think we'll make it interesting for the other clubs.

"I am enjoying the best of health, and it won't be long before I'll be down in old D. C., as I want to see the inauguration ceremonies.

"I have just got back from a week's stay at one of our lakes, where I've been ice-boating. We had a fine spell of it until we had a heavy snowstorm. That spolled ice-boating, fishing through the ice, and skating. As soon as we have a good thaw, I'm going to take

Taking Things Easy. "I have been taking things rather

easy since the season ended. Around Christmas time I helped out my brother in his store, but that's about all I have

visit, and he was looking well. He did not have those pork chops he reported with last spring, and told me that he

John Henry, has been operated on down the call sent out by Captain Jones. there in Washington. Hope it was successful and that he will soon be around made of the plans for the winter campaign. We'll need him next year, you know."

Manager Griffith expects his final answer from Charlottesville Monday. If he fails by that time to make satisfactory arrangements for the coming training season, he will close all negotiations there and begin to took over the attractions of the towns which have put in bids for the team.

White athletes will confine their work to the development of relay teams and will later take up outdoor work in preparation for the annual spring meet. Western has a number of good men left over from last year, and the new men reporting have already shown enough to warrant the prediction that the Red and White will be heard from this year.

put in bids for the team.

"I hope I can go to Charlottesville," said the "Old Fox" today, "but I sha'n't know till Monday. If I don't fix it up then-well, there are several towns on the line."

May Play Second.

Before leaving for Giendora, Cal., to care for his frost-nipped oranges, for the Yankees next season. It all manifested in the ten-mile race to be that, if he feels strong enough, he may play the first bag himself and send Childe Harold to the midway cushion. However, don't bet any money that Chase will be the second sacker of the Highlanders next year.

Ray Morgan, our own little second.

Ray Morgan, our own little second sacker, "the best in the world," if you believe what he says about himself, will be in town late today. He has brought a bunch of bowlers for a match at the Palace alleys, but he may manage to whisper a few prophecies regarding the coming season before he likes for the Union Station. The fans will turn out en masse, whatever that will turn out en masse, whatever that the city this afternoon. There are sev-

Arthur Irwin's remark that in Chance. "the Yankees have signed their first real manager," may lead him in several kinds of trouble. When it is recalled that the Yankees have had George Stallings and Clark Griffith, the utter folly of Irwin's remark is seen at once. Indeed, it is the general opinion among baseball men that Irwin has been a jinx on the back of the team ever since he went to New York. George Stallings accuses him of stable bing him in the back, and when you discover that not one of the present team was found by him, his value as a secont is placed in isopracid. Indeed, the control of the present team was found by him, his value as a secont is placed in isopracid. Indeed, the control of the present team was found by him, his value as a secont is placed in isopracid. Indeed, the control of the present team was found by him, his value as a secont is placed in isopracid. Indeed, the control of the present team was found by him, his value as a secont is placed in isopracid. Arthur Irwin's remark that in Chance, team was found by him, his value as a at Fifteenth and H streets, northeast scout is placed in jeopardy. Indeed, it is freely predicted that Chance will capitol Grounds and up Pennsylvania get rid of him as his first real act as avenue to the Georgetown clubhouse.

nurmurs were heard, as they wrote statement repudiating the charge made against the nominating committee by dissatisfied members and its slate. seeking to rid itself of its Providence

purchase. Lack of patronage has given Frank Navin a chill, and he sees little chance of building up his minor league outfit. Providence has had its pennant winners, and just refuses to become excited over a tail-end aggregation.

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The Monday Regiment results in the Chicago White Sox in 1913. Johnston will be no stranger to the White Sox. He took the training trip to Texas with the Sox in 1911.

Are After Games.

Kramer to Race Abroad.

THE SECRET OF HIGH ART





TRACK CANDIDATES AT WESTERN HIGH

Georgetown Coach Will Help Red and White This

Western High School track athletics received a boost today when it was antake charge of the track candidates. The Georgetown coach will spend a part of each day at the Western High School developing and training the track team. His reputation is well known and expects to have another good year like the last one.

"See by the papers that my 'roomie,'
Some forty candidates responded to

Good Weather Means Hard Race for Lads

Prospects of fair weather for the Memorial A. C. city run today will bring 'Husk" Chance declared that Chase out a large pack to compete for the might be allowed to play second base prizes offered by the club. Interest on Chance's strength. He says held today should warrant speedy work,

By reason of Scofield's win at Balti-

may mean, to see Ray in action on the eral novices among them, but names like Ricker, McCormick, Curley, Freid-

avenue to the Georgetown clubbouse.

Golfers Meet Tonight.

"I believe Frank Chance will make the New York team a winner," says Charlie Somers, the Cleveland magnate. "My confidence is shared by every club the league felt that Chance would be a big asset, the deal that made him free to sign with New York would not have been made."

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Park, have signed contracts for 1913. No

Plainfield County Club, issued a lengthy

Egan Has Bout.

Kid Egan, Washington's lone con-NEW YORK, Jan. II.—Frank L. Kramer, of Newark, the American champion cyclist, sailed today for Europe. He has signed for a series of match races with the speedlest European riders. The races will take place in Parls.

Kid Egan, Washington's lone contribution to the fistic world, meets Gene Delmont, of New Orleans, at the National A. C., in Philadelphia tonight, going on in a preliminary bout before Eddie Shevlin, of Boston, mixes it with "Yi Yi" Erne, Philly's crack welter-weight. tribution to the fistic world, meets Gene Delmont, of New Orleans, at the National A. C., in Philadelphia tonight, going on in a preliminary bout before Eddle Shevlin, of Boston, mixes it with "YI YI" Erne, Philly's crack welter-weight.

Feschtative basection team is desired. Glaze, the former Dartmouth star, has been purchased by the local club from Montreal. Closing a great college carriery of the Shevlin, of Boston, mixes it with Kirby, manager. Fourth Regiment, but failed to hold his own. He Basketball Team, 1218 North Montford has had fair success in the International League.

MULLIGAN TO TRAIN BOB TERWILLIGER JOINS G. U. SQUAD

Quarter-Miler From Brooklyn High School Latest Candidate for Georgetown Track Team-Comes With Good Reputation as First-Class Runner.

Georgetown University, having entered the freshman class.

Terwilliger is reported as one of the best quarter-milers in the country, havnounced that James Mulligan would ing annexed the senior indoor title at Madison -Square Garden. Terwilliger comes well recommended and should make a strong bid for honors.

He enters the freshman class from the Brooklyn High School, and on past performances should have little diffi-culty in making the relay team. The relay four which is to represent Blue and Gray in years will be chosen.

Last winter the trials were held at the Arcade, but as the sharp turns there proved a big disadvantage to the runners, Manager Darr, of this year's aggregation, decided to have the trials held at Convention Hall, where it is expected that all of the contestants will pected that all of the contestants will be able to develop their best speed.

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the team which will run for the Hilltop

Bob Terwilliger, of New York, is the others to choose from. Coach latest candidate for track honors at Georgetown University, having entered team that will travel the one mile dis-

In recent practices the 440-yard men have been performing in great style and the contest for places on the relay are certain to be hard fought and interesting. There does not seem to be any doubt but that Chapman will make one of the places, but the other three places are still far from being filled.

The track squad received more or less of a severe loss yesterday when Rowles are in the field, and the "Old Fox" deorgetown University in the one-mile announced that he had decided to give up his school work for the year at least, and accordingly would be unable to continue track work. The former between the held in Convention Hall. and Coach Mulligan is confident that the fastest quartet which has worn the line and Gray to wear will be cheer. Brown Prep star gave no reasons for his decision to leave the West End in-stitution, but it is understood that he intended to accept a good business offer. Although Rowles failed to do much in Although Rowles failed to do much in the cross country race at Baltimore, finishing twelfth, Mulligan expected him to be a point runner in the one mile events, accordingly, his loss is certain

Manager Darr also announced yester-Manager Darr also announced yester-day that he had decided to enter Gal-lagher, Eller, and Lowe in the Fordham games. Gallagher will run in the three-mile race, Lowe will compete in the high jump, while Captain Bob Eller will the team which will run for the Hilltop University this season will be far superior to any of the West End quartets of late years, as the caliber of the entire squad is 50 per cent higher than a year ago. With Chapman, Davis, Horner, Crawford, Laudon, Cook, Van Dyne, Hamilton, and two or three

ready for the run. Campbell and Scofield, the veteran runners of the club, are looking forward SEE SEVEN EVENTS FOR S. A. A. U. TITLE

Washington Get Their Share From Board.

Washington will have seven events of the South Atlantic A. A. U. indoor championships this season, according to the decision of the board of managers. At the Georgetown meet at Conven-

held Saturday, May 24, on Homewood Field, Johns Hopkins University.

Arundels Will Seek New River Laurels

The Fourth Maryland Regiment representative basketball team is desirious

AT HILLTOP MAY **CONSIDER DWYER**

Cleared Up at Meeting Scheduled Tomorrow.

What may result in the solution of University is the scheduled meeting of the athletic council on the Hillton totion Hall, March 1, the shot put, pole Dalley is out of town, there is every vault, high jump, and mile will be run indication that the body will meet for the purpose of going over the situation.

football team at Louisiana, and is understood to be in Washington for the purpose of talking over football with the authorities at the Hilltop. While nothing definite will be decided on account of Dailey's absence there is an indication that Dwyer will be

heard in connection with the football other matters athletic will be taken up by the Hilltop court of last resort. It is understood that the basketball team will come in for an amount of attention and will be jacked up for its poor showing made in the last few

Gets Ralph Glaze.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., Jan. 11.-Ralph Glaze, the former Dartmouth star, has Montreal. Closing a great college carrier, he signed with the Boston Amesicans, but failed to hold his own. He has had fair success in the International coal Southern League to be usiness trained here next summer, the business deficit and further promising a total attendance of the year to be 70,000 per-

Sporting Gossip

"Every Knock Is a Locs!."

No trouble expected,

Though two outfielders remain to affix signatures to contracts for the coming season, Manager Griffith worries not It is decidedly unlikely that Connelly, the Montreal man, will offer any com plaint. Milan wants a little more money than his contract calls for and prefers tance in close to record time and a team to discuss the question before signing that will be able to defeat the big ma-But they'll all be on the ship when sh puts out from the dock in April.

That training camp muddle is destined to be cleared up in a day or so-If Griff can't find suitable accomodashould have a comparatively easy time making his selection. From this distance, one would conclude that Charlottesville isn't particularly anxious to see the Climbers train.

Irwin's loquacity.

Arthur Irwin's loquacity, known the ountry over, may result in his being 'frozen" at the coming meeting in New York. In his desire to keep up with the procession, he says that "Chance is the first real manager the Yankees have ever had." Wonder how Hal Chase and C. C. Griffith will like that. But then, they may excuse it, coming from Ar-

Mystery somewhere.

The Athletics are generally consider ed a poorly-paid major league team Still, never do you hear of any holdng out when Connie sends around nis contracts. Jack Barry and Eddie Collins have signed without a whimper and the others will chase right along.

It's almost sold.

That bargain counter rag doll, the Philadelphia National League Club, is almost sold now. Willie Locke expects to close the deal some time today or Monday at the latest. It is unfortunate the prediction that the pace will be a Georgetown and George Football Situation May Be for the club that it has been connected with so much hurryscurry selling, for Manager Dooin has been greatly handicapped in his plans. However, Locke is pretty nearly done now.

Chase on second.

Manager Chance says that he will the football situation at Georgetown play first for the Yankees, if he considers himself strong eough, and Hal Chase can go to second. From the exmorrow. Although Supervisor Vincent hibition Chase gave in this city last season around that midway cushion. local fans will hardly expect to see this ararngement go through. But this is the winter and everything goes.

The Memorial A. C. and the Carroll Institute are deserving of much praise for their scheduled distance runs for athletes of their clubs. Today's jaunt by the Memorial runners will be excellent practice, tending to make good men for the larger meets to come, and will also serve to create interest in this health-giving sport, distance run-

team for a match at the Palace allegs. It is quite to be expected that many St. George Soccerites fans will be on hand to see Ray at work. Welcome to our glorious city, Ray, though we can't wish you victory.

Montgomery to Stick.

MONTGOMERY, Ala., Jan. 11.-The local Southern League club will be re-

BOB THAYER'S RECORD PRICES ARE DONLIN CREDITED MOSTLY MYTHICAL

Exorbitant Sums Paid for Players Rarely Involve Much Real Cash—Numbers of Men Bought for

St. John's to Play

Brooklanders Tonight

Small Figures.

DETROIT, Mich., Jan. 11.-High-priced, So, how now about your expensive

in the price.

But this is not the only instance in which things are not what they seem.

The wise ones say that Red Corriden, formerly a Tiger, was bought for \$2,000 cash and that the rest of the reported \$7.500 when you was a wade up of nay. Lo and behold, the 22,500 dollars made famous because of the alleged purchase with them of Marty O'Toole were really 5,500 plus a bunch of ball players, the guessing of whose value would make the solution of a Sam Lloyd seem easy.

Fifteen thousand dollars, said to get the solution of a Sam een the price of Said to the solution of a Sam weather available to the solut

Fifteen thousand dollars, said to have been the price of Schalk, the White Sox catcher, fade under the light of muckrakers to \$3,500, some players, and some more imaginations.

Marquard's \$11,000 begins to look puny when the analysts get after it and pick it to pieces.

And further than that, these carping critics insist that the boosters of the prices even do the men and the clubs owning them an injury by making it almost impossible for the players to live up to their reputations.

CONTRACT TO PLAY WITH GRIFF'S TEAM

Only Two Outfielders Left to Come Into the Fold.

Bill Allen, the recruit outfielder seized from the Sharon club of the Ohio and Pennsylvania League last season by Mike Kahoe, has sent in his signed contract, leaving only "Zeb" Milan and Joe

prospect," said Mike Kahoe today. He's green, of course, but from what I saw of him last summer, he has every chance of making good as soon as he learns something.

Morgan's in town.

Ray Morgan, the Climbers' peppery little infielder, is in town tonight, bringing over from Baltimore his bowling learn something.

Icarns something.

"The lad is very fast in the field and going down to first. He doesn't know everything about going back under a fly ball, but he can learn. He is a sweet hitter, shooting the ball over the infield a mile a minute. He'll be there, all right, in time."

WITH INVENTING CROUCH IN RUNS

Question Is Being Debated Overtime By the Gas

DETROIT, Mich., Jan. 11.—High-priced basebail players don't cost so much after all.

They cost a little cash, a few players whose value is on a sliding scale and a nicely working imagination of some sport writer, aided and abetted by semi-official guesses as to the worth in cold dollars and cents of sundry players figuring in the deal.

Ray Chapman is halled as the player whose cash price is the largest in the history of the game. That is all right has far as it goes, but—President Somers of the Cleveland to make the report that President Charles Somers of the Toledo club paid him \$8,000 in cash for Chappy.

It is a comparatively easy matter for let be pay Paul and set a new figure in the price.

But this is not the only instance in which things are not what they seem. The wise once say that Red Corriden, formerly a Tiger, was bought for \$2,000 cash and that the rest of the reported \$7,000 cash and that the rest of the reported

of starting. Here is the way it came about: The this vacation at Ann Arbor and every subject under the sun was being fanned the many entries in the fame race.

"Just a minute," quoth Steve, "and I'll tell you all about it, because I was "Back in the '80s one of the brain

runners in the country was Mike Donlin. He was always figuring and scheming-trying to dope some way where he could gain a foot or a frac-tion of a second. One of his stunts was to cut off his running shoes from feet by straps over his ankle so on the order of the rubber sandals that you see some women wearing now. He always claimed that he saved at least two ounces this way, and it gives an insight into the close thought that he

St. John's College of Annapolis comes to Washington tonight to tackle Catholic University in basketball at the National Guard Armory. The game is scheduled to start at 8:15 o'clock with Jim Colliflower as referee.

Reputation sustained by several victories has preceded the visitors, and one of the best games of the season is likely to be seen. Several of the football stars are on the St. John's team. In Wilson, Mellon and Clark, St. John's has as likely and capable a trio as could be seen.

The work of the basketball team at Catholic University under the direction of Coach Rice has been satisfactory and gratifying and tonight's performance is being looked forward to with considerable interest.

Captain Clancy, of the Black and Red team, will, in all likelihood, be found among the missing, although Derby of the football team will be found acceptable for his position. Hard work during the past week has put the Brooklanders in fine fettle for the game.

connects to complete the list of gardeners in line for the coming season, Allen belongs in Berkley Springs, W. Va., where he is wintering. "I think this kid Allen a mighty good prospect," said Mike Kabas Today FOR OLD SORES

it as a blood purifier. The source and supply of every chronic sore is impure blood; the circulation is infected with germs and morbid accumulations which are being constantly deposited into the open place. This causes ulceration and inflammation of the flesh tissues and produces a condition upon which salves, washes, lotions, etc., can have no curative effects. The blood must be purified of all infectious matter before the circulation can nourish the flesh tissues and stimulate them to the Claiming the Title healthy condition necessary to heal the sore. S. S. S. heals old sores by going down to the fountain-head of the trouble and driving out the The soccer champlonship of Maryland germs and morbid matters which are keeping the ulcer open. Then as and the District of Columbia is being new, rich blood is carried to the place, the healing begins, all discharge claimed by the Sons of St. George, of ceases, the inflammation leaves, new tissue and healthy flesh are formed, Ealtimore, with ten wins, one defeat and two tied games. Jim Rose's bunch has fallen before the Baltimoreans three times in succession. The self-styled champions will meet the Washington team tomorrow at Baltimore and will endeavor to make it four straight.

Ceases, the intramination leaves, new tissue and healthy ness are formed, and soon the ulcer is well. You are not wasting time when you use the washington ment for old sores. Book on Sores and Ulcers and medical advice free to all who write and request same. S. S. S. is sold at drug stores.

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